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SUBJ: REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE WITH VIETNAMESE EXIT PROCEDURES

1. ON JULY 15, (1976 AND AMERICAN CITIZEN NAMED T.J. RADEMAKER ASKED FOR ASSISTANCE AT THE CONSULAR SECTION OF EMBASSY RANGOON.

2. HE SAID THAT HE HAD BEEN A CONTRACT EMPLOYEE IN SAIGON WHERE HE HAD MET AND MARRIED A VIETNAMESE WOMAN (NGUYEN THI LINH) IN 1971. IN 1972 THEY HAD A DAUGHTER NUGYEN THI TRINH. HE DID NOT REGISTER THE MARRIAGE OR THE BIRTH WITH EMBASSY SAIGON. HE LEFT SAIGON ON THE COMPLETION OF HIS CONTRACT AND PLANNED TO RETURN, BUT DID NOT DO SO BEFORE VIETNAM FELL.

3. MR. RADEMAKER WANTED TO KNOW IF HIS DAUGHTER COULD BE REGISTERED AS A CITIZEN BY EMBASSY RANGOON AND IF A US VISA COULD BE ISSUED FOR HIS WIFE AND CHILD SO THAT THEY COULD EXIT VIETNAM. HE ALSO ASKED ABOUT VIETNAMESE EXIT REQUIREMENTS.

4. HE WAS INFORMED THAT NEITHER OF THESE SERVICES WERE POSSIBLE IN RANGOON, AND ADVISED TO CONTACT THE VIETNAMESE EMBASSY IN RANGOON FOR INFORMATION. HE DID SO, AND REPORTED THAT THE VN EMBASSY WAS VERY FRIENDLY BUT UNHELPFUL. (THEY SUGGESTED HE TRAVEL TO VIETNAM AND APPLY THERE FOR EXIT PERMISSION. (THE LOCATION - SAIGON OR HANOI - WAS NOT SPECIFIED.)

5. MR. T.J. RADEMAKER GIVES HIS ADDRESS AS BOX 911 ELKTON MARYLAND 21921. HE WOULD LIKE TO KNOW HOW HE CAN GET HIS UNCLASSIFIED

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FAMILY OUT OF VIETNAM, AND WILL CONTACT EMBASSY BANGKOK

FD THE DEPARTMENT FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.

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